

PTO PAT 30 JUN 1998

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 5611

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicants : David KLATZMANN et al.

International Application No.: PCT/FR96/01132

International Filing Date: July 18, 1996

For: α - β C4BP-TYPE RECOMBINANT
HETEROMULTIMERIC PROTEINS**INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT**

Atty. Dkt.: GUPLA 0007

June 30, 1998Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

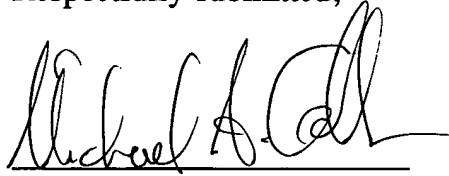
This is an Information Disclosure Statement submitted under 37 CFR 1.97 ff within the time specified in 37 CFR 1.97(b).

Attached are copies of two publications cited in the enclosed International Search Report dated September 27, 1996, and the French Search Report dated March 26, 1996, where the relevance of the publications is shown.

A Form PTO-1449 listing the publications is attached.

As all requirements of 37 CFR 1.97 ff and all official guidelines pertaining to Information Disclosure Statements, have been complied with, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the references and make them of record.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Gollin", written over a horizontal line.

Michael A. Gollin
Registration No. 31,957
SPENCER & FRANK
Suite 300 East
1100 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005-3955
Telephone: (202) 414-4000
Telefax: (202) 414-4040

MAG/trt